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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE GROUP 3711 PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Junji HAYASHI, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/720,475

Group Art Unit: 3711

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Examiner: Raeann GORDON

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TWO-PIECE SOLID GOLF BALL

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 19, 2004, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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In view of the above, reconsideration and allowance of this application are now believed to be in order, and such actions are hereby solicited. If any points remain in issue which the Examiner feels may be best resolved through a personal or telephone interview, the Examiner is kindly requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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